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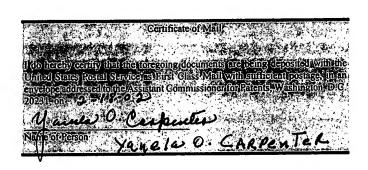
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Examiner: Not Assigned

For: SERVICE-PORTAL ENABLED AUTOMATION CONTROL MODULE (ACM)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:



PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1), Applicant hereby petitions for a four-month (4) extension in the period of response set in the Office Action mailed **August 20, 2001**, for the above-identified application. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$1,440.00 in payment of the extension fee prescribed by Rule 17(a)(1). It is believed that no additional fee is due. If this is incorrect, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or credit any fees which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 50-0605 of Carr & Storm, L.L.P.

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